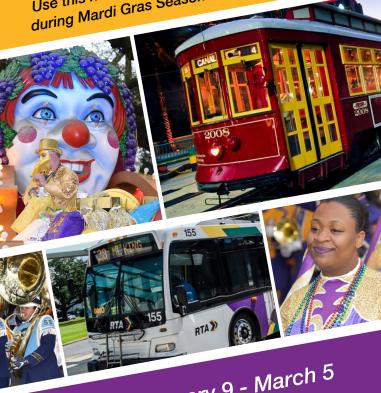
# 2019 **Mardi Gras Mardi Gras** Rider's Guide

Use this handy guide to get around during Mardi Gras Season!



Effective: February 9 - March 5



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# How to use the Mardi Gras Guide

Check the parade schedule to identify the dates and times of the parades, and the day's transit detours. Use the detour pattern (Uptown, Endymion, etc.) for each parade in the parade table to determine where to board your bus or streetcar. During parades, plan more time for your trip.

Detours are subject to change. Visit www.norta.com for the most up-to-date detours and delays.

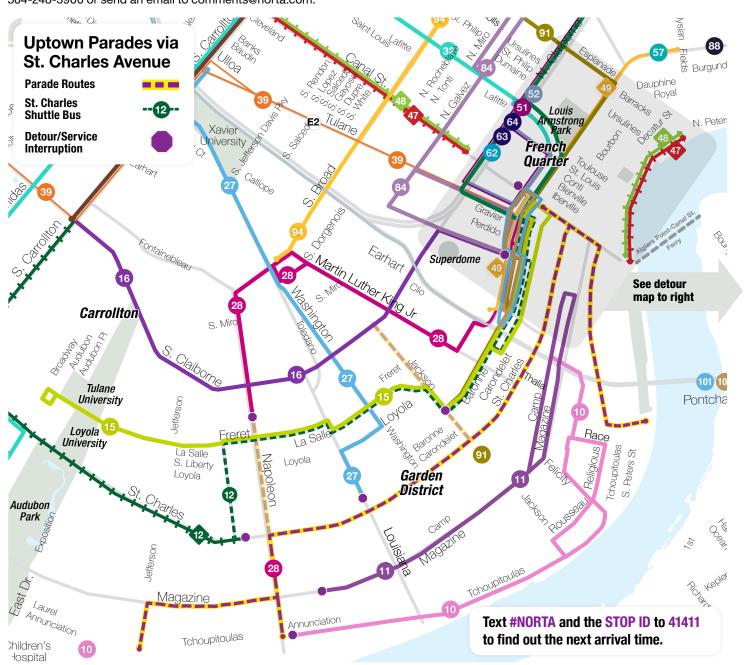
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## **General Detour Information**

All detours start 2 hours before a parade begins. Detours will remain in place until clean up crews finish cleaning the parade route.

Bus and streetcar lines not impacted by parades will be be on their regular routes. Remember that increased traffic and pedestrian movements may delay a bus or streetcar route even if there is no direct impact due to a parade.

For additional detour and delay information, visit www.norta.com.



# **French Quarter & Marigny Parades**

# Krewe du Vieux and Krewe Delusion (Saturday, February 16. Starts 6:45 pm):

**12-St. Charles Streetcar:** Streetcars will stop at Howard Ave. during the parade. Shuttle buses will provide service between Howard Ave. and Canal St.

**47/48-Canal Streetcars:** No streetcar service between Baronne St. and Harrah's. There will be streetcar service from French Market Station to Canal St. and Harrah's.

**5-Marigny-Bywater:** Buses will run between Elysian Fields Ave. and Poland Ave. starting at 4:30 pm until the service ends at 6:45 pm. Use Riverfront (via 47/48) to access Canal St.

**10-Tchoupitoulas & 11-Magazine:** Buses will detour from Calliope St. to Convention Center Blvd. to get to Canal St. No service on Poydras St. Use stops at Canal St. & Magazine St. or Annunciation St. at Calliope St. to access route.

**16-S. Claiborne:** Use stops at Poydras St. at Loyola Ave. or Canal St. at Magazine St. to access route.

**55-Elysian Fields:** Buses will detour via St. Claude Ave. to Elk Pl. at Canal St. No service on Decatur St. during parade. Use 47/48 - Canal Streetcars at French Market Station to access Canal St.

# Krewe of Cork (Friday, February 22. Starts at 3:00 pm):

Expect delays during parade on Line 5-Marigny-Bywater and 55-Elysian Fields.

# Krewe of Chewbacchus (Saturday, February 9. Starts at 6:00 pm):

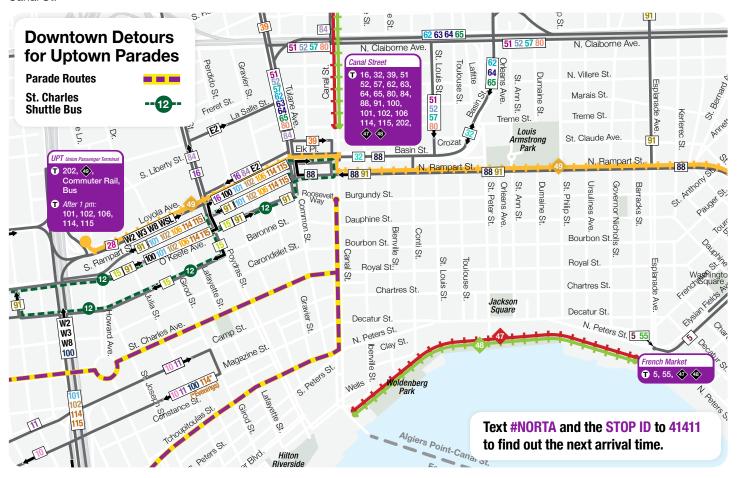
**5-Marigny-Bywater:** Bus service will stop at 5:30 p.m. Use Riverfront (via 47/48) to access Canal St.

**55-Elysian Fields:** No service on Decatur St. Use Riverfront (via 47/48) to access Canal St.

**57-Franklin & 80-Desire-Louisa:** Buses will use Claiborne Ave. to get to Elk Pl. and Canal St. No service on Rampart St./ St. Claude Ave. until parade is over.

**88-St. Claude:** Buses will use Claiborne Ave. and Esplanade Ave. to get to Rampart St. and regular route. No service on Rampart St. until parade is over.

Krewe of Barkus (Sunday, February 24. Starts at 2:00 p.m.): Expect delays during the parade on the 49-Rampart-St. Claude Streetcar, 57-Franklin, 88-St. Claude, and 91-Jackson-Esplanade.



# **Endymion Parade - Saturday, March 2**

#### **Detours Outside of Downtown**

**12-St. Charles Shuttle Bus:** Shuttle bus services will stop at Union Passenger Terminal during parade.

**15-Freret:** Buses will stop at Union Passenger Terminal. There will be no service to Canal St.

**16-S. Claiborne:** Stops from Loyola Ave. to Canal St. will not be serviced.

**27-Louisiana:** No service between Delgado Community College and Cemeteries Transit Center.

**28-MLK:** Buses will stop at the Union Passenger Terminal. There will be no service to Canal St.

**32-Leonidas:** Route will be split on either side of the parade with service from Audubon Park to Banks St. and from Orleans Ave.

& N. Scott St. to Basin St. & Canal St.

#### 47/48-Canal Streetcars:

No streetcar service during parade. Shuttle bus service will be provided from Basin St./ Canal St. to the Cemeteries Transit Center along a detoured route. Route information will be available on norta.com.

**49-Rampart-St. Claude Streetcar:** No service during parade.

**51/52-St. Bernard:** Buses will not service Basin St.

**84-Galvez:** Buses from Lower 9th Ward will end at N. Galvez St. and Bienville St.

**90-Carrollton:** The line will be split into two with service from Elysian Fields Ave. to

Beauregard Circle (Stop ID: 4663) and S. Claiborne Ave. to Cemeteries Transit Center, following 27-Louisiana route from S. Carrollton Ave. to Cemeteries Transit Center.

**91-Jackson/Esplanade:** Buses will not run between Walmart and Iberville St.

**94-Broad:** Service will be split on either side of Canal St., with stops at Banks St. and Bienville St. until the parade passes Broad Ave.

**101/102/114/115:** Buses will use Claiborne Ave. exit to access Tulane Ave. and Loyola Ave.



# Mardi Gras Day - Tuesday, March 5

#### **Detours Outside of Downtown**

All bus services will follow their Saturday schedules, except for the 106-Aurora, which will follow its weekday schedule. There will be no shuttle bus services for the 12 - St. Charles Streetcar on Mardi Gras Dav.

**5-Marigny/Bywater:** No service on Decatur St./N. Peters St. to Canal St.

10-Tchoupitoulas: Stops between Marengo St. and Audubon Park and Calliope St. and Canal St. will not be serviced during the parades.

11-Magazine: Stops between Marengo St. and Audubon Park and Calliope St. and Canal St. will not be serviced during the parades.

**15-Freret:** No service on Mardi Gras Day.

**16-S. Claiborne:** Stops between Lovola Ave. and Harrah's on

Poydras St. will not be serviced during parades.

**27-Louisiana:** Stops between Carondelet St. and Tchoupitoulas St. will not be serviced during the parades.

**28-MLK:** Stops between S. Dorgenois St. and Tchoupitoulas St. will not be serviced during the parades.

**32-Leonidas:** Buses will take Carrollton Ave. to Esplanade Ave. and follow the 91-Jackson-Esplanade to N. Rampart St. and Bienville St.

47/48-Canal Streetcars:

Heading Downtown, streetcars will stop at N. Galvez St. Streetcars will also operate from French Market Station to Canal St. and Harrah's. Shuttle bus service will be provided from N. Galvez St. to Harrah's until blocked by parades.

**49-Rampart-St. Claude Streetcar:** No service during parades.

**51/52-St. Bernard:** Buses will not service stops on Basin St. during the parade.

**55-Elysian Fields:** Use 47/48 - Canal Streetcars at French Market Station to access Canal St.

**84-Galvez:** No service between Esplanade Ave. to Poydras St.

91-Jackson/Esplanade: No service between N. Rampart St. & Bienville St. to Tchoupitoulas St.

**94-Broad:** Service will be split on either side of Orleans Ave. until parades are over.

For Uptown detours use the "Uptown Parades via St. Charles Avenue" map.



# **Algiers Point-Canal Street Ferry Services**

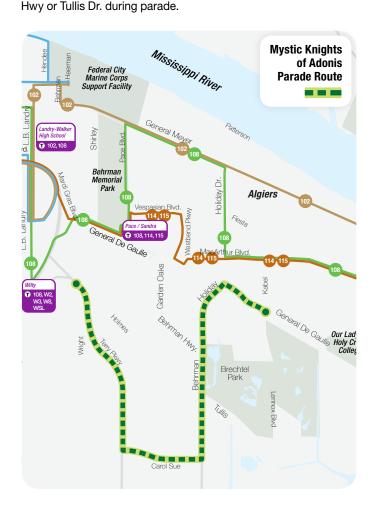
The Algiers Point-Canal Street Ferry operates extended hours during Mardi Gras. Check www.norta.com/ferry for the most up-to-date ferry information.

		First Trip		Last Trip	
Day	Date	Algiers Pt.	Canal St.	Algiers Pt.	Canal St.
Friday	Feb 22	6:00 am	6:15 am	11:30 pm	11:45 pm
Saturday	Feb 23	9:00 am	9:15 am	11:30 pm	11:45 pm
Sunday	Feb 24	9:00 am	9:15 am	9:30 pm	9:45 pm
Monday	Feb 25	6:00 am	6:15 am	9:30 pm	9:45 pm
Tuesday	Feb 26	6:00 am	6:15 am	9:30 pm	9:45 pm
Wednesday	Feb 27	6:00 am	6:15 am	11:00 pm	11:15 pm

		First Trip		Last Trip	
Day	Date	Algiers Pt.	Canal St.	Algiers Pt.	Canal St.
Thursday	Feb 28	6:00 am	6:15 am	11:00 pm	11:15 pm
Friday	Mar 1	6:00 am	6:15 am	11:30 pm	11:45 pm
Saturday	Mar 2	9:00 am	9:15 am	12:00 am	12:15 am
Sunday	Mar 3	9:00 am	9:15 am	12:00 am	12:15 am
Monday	Mar 4	6:00 am	6:15 am	12:00 am	12:15 am
Tuesday	Mar 5	6:00 am	6:15 am	9:30 pm	9:45 pm

# **West Bank (Algiers) Parades**

Mystic Knights of Adonis (Saturday, February 23rd, 11:45 am) 114/115-General De Gaulle: buses will take MacArthur Blvd and Woodland Dr. to Sullen Dr. No service on Garden Oaks, Behrman

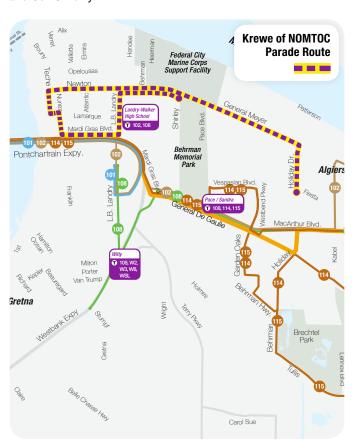


#### Krewe of NOMTOC (Saturday, March 2nd, 10:45 am)

101-Algiers Point: No service to Eliza St. and Hendee St.

**102-General Meyer:** No service between Kabel Dr. and Whitney Ave.

**108-Algiers Local:** Service between L.B. Landry at Semmes St. and Cut-Off only.



## **Parade Schedule**

Parades	Date	Day	Area
Krewe of Joan of Arc	6-Jan	Sunday	French Quarter
Société des Champs Elysée	6-Jan	Sunday	French Quarter
Phunny Phorty Phellows	6-Jan	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Chewbacchus	9-Feb	Saturday	Marigny
Krewe Bohème	15-Feb	Friday	French Quarter
Krewe du Vieux	16-Feb	Saturday	French Quarter
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Krewe of Cork	22-Feb	Friday	French Quarter
Krewe of Oshun	22-Feb	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of Cleopatra	22-Feb	Friday	Uptown
The Mystic Knights of Adonis	23-Feb	Saturday	Westbank
Krewe of Pontchartrain	23-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Choctaw	23-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Freret	23-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Knights of Sparta	23-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Pygmalion	23-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
tit Rex	23-Feb	Saturday	Marigny
The Mystic Krewe of Femme Fatale	24-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Carrollton	24-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of King Arthur and Merlin	24-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Alla	24-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Barkus	24-Feb	Sunday	French Quarter
Krewe of Druids	27-Feb	Wednesday	Uptown
Krewe of Nyx	27-Feb	Wednesday	Uptown
Knights of Babylon	28-Feb	Thursday	Uptown
Knights fo Chaos	28-Feb	Thursday	Uptown
Krewe of Muses	28-Feb	Thursday	Uptown
Krewe of Bosom Buddies	1-Mar	Friday	French Quarter
Krewe of Hermes	1-Mar	Friday	Uptown
Krewe d'Etat	1-Mar	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of Morpheus	1-Mar	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of NOMTOC	2-Mar	Saturday	Westbank
Krewe of Iris	2-Mar	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Tucks	2-Mar	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Endymion	2-Mar	Saturday	Mid-City
Krewe of Okeanos	3-Mar	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Mid-City	3-Mar	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Thoth	3-Mar	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Bacchus	3-Mar	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Proteus	4-Mar	Monday	Uptown
Krewe of Orpheus	4-Mar	Monday	Uptown
Krewe of Zulu	5-Mar	Tuesday	Uptown
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# **Streetcar Services during Mardi Gras**

#### 12-St. Charles Streetcar

From Feburary 22th to February 27th, there will be adjustments to the St. Charles Streetcar. During parades, streetcars will operate between S. Claiborne Ave. and Valence St. Shuttle bus services will be provided from Valence St. to Canal St. via the 15 - Freret route, terminating at Elk Pl. and Canal St. Heading Uptown, shuttle buses will travel along Loyola Ave. to Calliope St. to O.C. Haley Blvd. After parades, the streetcars will resume service along St. Charles Ave.

From February 28th through Mardi Gras Day on March 5th, there will be no streetcar service between Valence St. and Canal St. at all. Before and after parades, shuttle bus services will operate between Valence St. and Canal St. along St. Charles Ave. During parades, shuttle bus services will operate from Valence St. to Canal St. via the 15 - Freret route, terminating at Elk Pl. and Canal St.

#### 47-Canal-Cemeteries Streetcar

During parades, streetcar service will be provided from the Cemeteries Transit Center to Liberty St., and from French Market Station to Canal St. and Harrah's. There will be no streetcar service between Liberty St. and the Riverfront during parades.

#### 48-Canal-City Park / Museum Streetcar

During parades, streetcar service will be provided from the City Park / Museum to Liberty St., and from French Market Station to Canal St. and Harrah's. There will be no streetcar service between Liberty St. and the Riverfront during parades.

#### 49-Rampart-St. Claude Streetcar

During Mardi Gras season, the Rampart-St. Claude will operate on its normal schedule. On Saturday, March 2nd for the Endymion Parade and Mardi Gras Day on March 5th, there will be no streetcar service from Elysian Fields Ave. to the Union Passenger Terminal.

Poydras Street Station and Julia Street Station on the Riverfront continue to be out of service due to construction on the Four Seasons project. To access streetcar service on the Riverfront, please use the 47-Canal-Cemeteries or 48-Canal-City Park / Museum running from French Market Station to Canal St. and Harrah's.

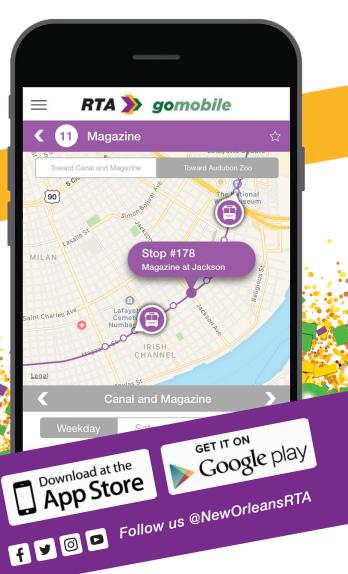
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# GoMobile is perfect for Mardi Gras!

Use GoMobile during Mardi Gras to plan your trip, check service alerts, and purchase fares!

Parades and pedestrian traffic tend to impact arrival times. But with GoMobile you can track your bus or streetcar in real-time and see where your ride is!





## **Fares**

#### **Bus and Streetcar**

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Fare and Pass	Cost	Where to Purchase		
Local Fare	\$1.25	On RTA bus, streetcar, or GoMobile		
Express Bus Fare to New Orleans East and MSY (62, 63, 64, 65, 202)	\$1.50	On RTA bus, streetcar, or GoMobile		
Reduced Fare with ID (Age 65+, People with Disabilities, Medicare Card)	\$0.40	On RTA bus, streetcar, or GoMobile		
Transfer	\$0.25	On RTA bus or streetcar		
Children 2 and under Free w		ith Paying Passenger		
1-Day Jazzy Pass	\$3.00	On RTA bus, streetcar, Sales Outlets, norta.com, or GoMobile		
3-Day Jazzy Pass	\$9.00	From Sales Outlets, Ticket Vending Machines (TVMs), norta.com, or GoMobile		
5-Day Jazzy Pass	\$15.00	From Sales Outlets, TVMs, norta.com, or GoMobile		
31-Day Jazzy Pass	\$55.00	From Sales Outlets, TVMs, norta.com, or GoMobile		
Lift Dial-A-Ride	\$2.00	On vehicle		
Regional Ride	\$6.00	RTA/JeT bus or streetcar, RTA GoMobile, TVMs		

#### **Fares and Passes**

Visit www.norta.com and view Fares and Passes for a listing of pass sales outlets and TVM locations.

#### **Cash Change Card**

RTA fareboxes accept up to a \$20 bill and RTA Tokens. RTA provides change with a RTA Cash Change Card good for future rides on RTA. No Cash refunds.

### **Algiers Point Ferry**

Fare and Pass	Cost	Where to Purchase
Pedestrian (each way)	\$2.00	On Ferry or GoMobile App
Reduced Fare with ID (each way) - (Age 65+, People with Disabilities, Medicare Card)	\$1.00	On Ferry or GoMobile App
Monthly Pass (Ferry only)	\$65.00	On Ferry
1-Day Integrated Pass (ride any ferry, bus or streetcar)	\$7.00	GoMobile App
5-Day Integrated Pass (ride any ferry, bus or streetcar)	\$30.00	GoMobile App
31-Day Integrated Pass (ride any ferry, bus or streetcar)	\$105.00	GoMobile App